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In re Application of:

HIROYUKI SHINBATA

Application No.: 09/405,176

Filed: September 24, 1999

For: IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD FOR
SETTING AN EXTRACTION AREA, AND
APPARATUS AND RECORDING MEDIUM

Docket No. 03500.013853

Examiner: C.R. Kim

TC/Art Unit: 2623

Date: July 12, 2005

Mail Stop: AF
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

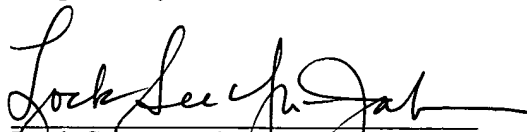
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | * 8 | MINUS | ** 21 | = 0 | x \$25 \$50 | \$0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | * 4 | MINUS | *** 9 | = 0 | x \$100 \$200 | \$0 |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180/\$360 | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT--- | | | | | | \$0 |

- * If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
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☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the fee for a _____-month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,


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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 12, 2005, the Examiner is
respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United
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July 12, 2005
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(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

(Signature)

July 12, 2005
(Date of Signature)

- Amendments to the claims are presented in the listing starting on page 3; and
- Remarks are presented starting on page 9.